

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Cummings
Appl. No.	:	10/717,144
Filed	:	November 18, 2003
For	:	A Method For Shaping a Nanotube and a Nanotube Shaped Thereby
Examiner	:	Phasge
Group Art Unit:	:	1753

AMENDMENT & RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 17, 2007 in the above-referenced application, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejections in view of the amendments and remarks below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.